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In Re Application  
No. 09/434,314

PETER J. BLACK

Filed: 11/04/1999

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR PERFORMING HANDOFF  
IN A HIGH SPEED  
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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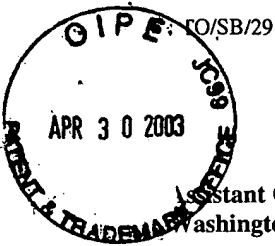
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Examiner: JOHN J. LEE  
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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application:

Serial No.: 09/434,314 Filed on: 11/04/1999

Entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING HANDOFF IN A HIGH SPEED COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
2. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
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